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Applicant : McKECHNIE et al.

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This is in response to the Office Action of 19 November 2002.

Applicants are cancelling claims 24-34 and claim 55. No claims are being amended.

The claims in this application are set forth on the following pages 2-6, in the revised format permitted by the PTO Notice of 13 February 2003.

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